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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
	: Examiner: Unassigned
NOBUHIRO HOSHI ET AL.)
<u>.</u>	: Group Art Unit:Unassigned
Appln. No.: 09/537,872)
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Filed: March 29, 2000)
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For: RECORDING APPARATUS,) June 8, 2000
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

The Examiner's attention is also directed to the following U.S. Application:

APPLICATION NO. FILING DATE GROUP ART UNIT STATUS
09/510,340 2/22/2000 2712 Pending

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(iii), no copy of any cited U.S. Application is enclosed.

FORMAL MATTERS

Because an Office Action on the merits has not been received, Applicants believe that no fee is due in order to obtain consideration of the information cited herein.

However, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee necessary to deposit account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed for that purpose.

CONCLUSION

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the above information and return a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449, with an indication that such information has been considered.

JUN 0 8 2000 address given below.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our

Respectfully submitted,

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